

Dakota Soda

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To: Dakota Soda
Subject: HB5916 & HB5917

Dakota:

Thank you so much for your time on the phone today. I sincerely appreciate it!

I would like to take this opportunity to express my extreme opposition to the upcoming "PetLand Bills" HB5916 & 5917, which will block cities and counties from passing pet retail bans. Additionally, I am very disappointed to find that the sponsor(s) are trying to fast track this preemption bill with a bill that appears to further regulate pet stores including new rules that can NOT be enforced!

Across the country, cities, municipalities and states are enacting/passing retail pet bans because they realize that dogs are dependent, companion animals and NOT livestock! These creatures are meant to be in homes, NOT simply exist (in deplorable conditions) to produce puppies to be shipped across the country and sold for profit!

I implore you to do your research: this is a huge industry making mega profits off the backs of innocent dogs!

THANK YOU for presenting this in lieu of my absence tomorrow. I appreciate having my extreme opposition on record.

If you have any questions, you may reach me at [REDACTED].

Thank you for your time. I look forward to hearing from you.

Regards,
Sonnie Bryant-Bedard

"A Pet Store Puppy IS a Puppy Mill Puppy!"

Be Kinder Than Necessary, for Everyone You Meet Is Fighting Some Kind Of Battle.